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CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371			Not yet assigned 277747					
	rional application no. R2004/050150	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE April 7, 2004	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED April 18, 2003					
TITLE OF	Method of Treating a Gas Mixture Comprising Propane and Propylene							
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US L'Air Liquide, Société Anonyme à Directoire et Conseil de Surveillance pour l'Etude et l'Exploitation des Procédés Georges Claude								
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	. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.							
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8. 🗀	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).							
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items	items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:							
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15.	A substitute specification.							
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- 3. Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- 4. Assignment and cover sheet;
- 5. Preliminary Amendment;
- 6. IDS and Form 1449, including search report with 7 references;
- 7. Transmittal Under 35 USC 371 (PTO Form 1390) Fee Sheet (in duplicate); and
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Respectfully submitted,

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